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ACTION SY-05

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INFO AMEMBASSY NAIROBI

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DEPT FOR SY/CC/TAG

NAIROBI FOR RSS

EO 11652: GDS
TAGS: ASEC, PINS, SHUM, IR
SUBJ: BOMB THREATS IN ISFAHAN

1. AT 1210 HOURS LOCAL TIME ON TUESDAY, MAY 9, A TELEPHONE BOMB THREAT WAS RECEIVED BY A LOCAL EMPLOYEE AT THE IRAN AMERICA SOCIETY FACILITY IN ISFAHAN. CALL WAS IN FARSI FROM AN APPARENTLY WELL-EDUCATED MALE WHO STATED THAT THE IAS FACILITY SHOULD BE "CLOSED BECAUSE WE ARE GOING TO THROW A BOMB IN IT WITHIN ONE-HALF HOUR." POLICE WERE NOTIFIED. BOMB SEARCH PROVED NEGATIVE. EXTRA POLICE REMAINED ON THE PREMISES THROUGHOUT THE DAY. IAS FACILITIES REMAINED OPEN.

2. THAT SAME DAY, A TELEPHONE BOMB THREAT WAS RECEIVED EARLY IN THE EVENING AT LA FONTAINE RESTAURANT IN ISFAHAN MINUTES BEFORE THE SCHEDULED ARRIVAL OF SECRETARY OF THE ARMY CLIFFORD C. ALEXANDER AND HIS PARTY, WHO WERE VISITING ISFAHAN. THE CALL WAS IN FARSI, DIRECTED TO THE RESTAURANT, AND MADE NO MENTION OF SECRETARY
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ALEXANDER OR ANY OTHER AMERICANS. THE CALL INDICATED THAT THERE WAS A BOMB IN THE RESTAURANT WHICH WAS ABOUT TO EXPLODE. ALEXANDER PARTY CANCELED THEIR VISIT TO THE RESTAURANT. SUBSEQUENT SEARCH OF THE PREMISES PROVED NEGATIVE.
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